

Nevada Juvenile Justice Oversight Commission

Committee Report

11/30/2017

Committee: Risk Assessment Committee

Committee Co-chairs: Jo Lee Wickes, Jack Martin, Darin Imlay

Date of meetings held since last Commission Meeting: 30 November, 2017 10:00 am

Date of next meeting: 6 December 2017, 02:00 pm

Action Items Completed:

Presented a tally of what the counties are currently using for a Risk and Needs Assessment. Seven counties are currently, or will be soon, using the YLS. Several counties have internal assessments, most likely due to cost.

Discussed several Risk and Needs Assessments on the market. Discussed pros and cons. Narrowed down to two.

Discussed Mental Health Screening tools; there is really only one on the market that is specifically a Mental Health Screening tool which is the MAYSI. Several counties in the state are already using this.

Action Items In-progress/Pending:

- Selection of a Risk and Needs Assessment from two, YLS and OYAS. Vote held to narrow down to those two.

Held a vote to adopt the MAYSI II as the Mental Health Screening tool.

Announcements:

None

Recommendations for the Commission:

Adopt the MAYSI II as the statewide Mental Health Screening tool.

Questions for the Commission:

- None

Other Notes:

- None